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Of Interest to the Veterans Of Forrest's Cavalry.

On Oct. 17th, 1906, it is planned to reproduce in the city of Memphis, as nearly as possible, that fearless band which helped to make the name and fame of Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest immortal.

There will be no frills or furbelows. There will be no band wagons in the parade. There will be no sponsors and maids of honor. The parade will consist of the mounted survivors of Forrest's Cavalry, formed in line of march as they were formed so often in the stirring days of yore, going forward to do their duty. It will be simply a band of Confederate Cavalrymen upon the march. Of all the Division and Brigade Commanders that served with Forrest there are but four now living—Gen'l's F. C. Armstrong, H. B. Lyon and Col's Edmund R. Rucker and D. C. Kelley, all of whom will be in the parade at the head of their old commands. It may be the last time the old Veterans will thus assemble.

Let every man who, during the war served under Forrest come to Memphis and take part in the parade. Horses will be provided.

All the railroads will place on sale October 15th, 16th and 17th, good until October 31st, round trip tickets at one fare plus 25c.

As there was no man to lag behind when the great commander gave the word "FORWARD" let there be none now decline to come.

There is but one woman to whom the troop will give place upon this occasion, Miss Emma Sanson, the girl who piloted Gen. Forrest during his pursuit of Streight. A led horse, suitably caparisoned and saddled with a woman's saddle, will be placed near the head of the column in her honor.

The Widows, Wives and Daughters of all old Forrest Veterans are cordially invited to come, to whom special honor and respect will be shown.

The Power of Trust Companies.

Trust companies have increased in numbers very rapidly in the past four years. In 1899 there were only 460 of them in the United States with resources amounting to \$1,071,525,994. At the close of 1904 the number of trust companies have run up to 958 with the enormous amount of resources the sum amounting to \$3,188,375,397.

These trust companies are becoming greater than all the 'national banks of the country when it comes to investments in stocks and bonds. Able writers on political economy indicate that they are the coming danger of this country.

A woman comes into a newspaper office, comments on the weather, removes her gloves, raises her veil, gets out her \$4 lace handkerchief, slips into her chatelaine bag, brings out a little scrap of paper upon which is written a simple advertisement for a hired girl. She then quotes the price, which is to run at the head of the want column 213 days in the year, asks for the best location possible, expresses a hope that she will get a good girl this time, puts her gloves back on, and picking up her skirt says: "Well, I guess that's all," and departs, leaving her handkerchief on the counter. When she trots her ten-year-old boy on the errand he dashes in, drops a quarter on the counter, says: "Mam wants this in the paper," and is gone, after having slammed the door. But he has transacted the same business.

The revival meetings at the Holiness church of Christ are still in progress. Quite a number have been converted and two sanctified.

The Fall Season

IS NOW ON

—and we were never so well prepared to fill your every want. The display in each line is the most satisfactory we have ever presented in variety, quality and style, and we ask the pleasure of your inspection. If you've never been our customer before, try us this season and see the difference.

Our Millinery Section

has presented a scene of intense enthusiasm during the past week and the opinion of everyone is that a more comprehensive display of exclusive millinery styles has never been made here.

Our line of

Tailored Hats

is especially strong and includes a number of the celebrated Gage Hats. We are especially desirous of having you pay a visit to this department.

BE SURE YOU SEE OUR

LINE BEFORE PURCHASING!



New Fall Dress Goods!

A more inviting display of beautiful Dress Goods was never presented in this section.

Novel ideas, exclusiveness of the highest order—enough to satisfy the most exacting taste.

Beautifully finished, light weight Broadcloth in all the choicest colors, for a yard 85c to \$1.35

Cravenettes in gray, blue, plaids and herring bone stripes 85c to \$1.50

Taffeta Pipp, a new weave in dress goods, in all shades, 42 inches wide at per yard \$1.00

Plaid Dress Goods are especially popular this season and we have all shades from 25c to 1.50 a yard

Gun metal and light gray dress goods, 36 to 42 ins. wide, per yd 60c to 1.50

Kid Gloves

We are still agents for Simmons' Gloves, and have a full line of Autumn shades, per pr. \$1 to \$1.50

Mousquetaire Gloves, in black and white—10 and 12 button lengths per pair \$2 to \$3

Fashionable, New Fall Silks

Beautiful Styles, in a Splendid Array of New Effects, Attractive in Both Value and Price!

A number of varieties in Fancy Plaid Silks. Each design is new and a novelty in itself, embracing all the most fashionable shades for Autumn, and each line is a good quality. Per yd. 50c to \$1.25

Black and colored Taffeta Silks, in all grades, a splendid collection, each piece having a high luster. Per yd. 50c to \$1.75

New Belts

Plaid Silk Belts, in new designs and styles, each 50c

Silk and Leather Belts, the new shades and new buckles. 25c to 75c

Hand Bags, all new Fall styles, all grades. 25c to \$3.50



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Hart Schaffner & Marx

BOYS' CLOTHING.

Before buying your boy a suit, see our display of

"Perfection Clothing"

"The Kind That's Built"

Prices \$1.50 to \$6.50

THERE IS NO BETTER CLOTHING THAN

"Hart Schaffner & Marx"

Do you know that you buy here ready-to-wear such clothes as even your tailor, unless he is a remarkably good one, cannot produce?

Hart Schaffner & Marx clothing represents the highest type of clothing style, hand tailored, perfect fit and absolutely all wool, with no sign of a cotton thread. It pays to make and sell and wear such clothes; pays the wearer most of all.

Prices \$18 to \$25

Men's and Young Men's Suits At Moderate Prices.

We do not want to leave you under the impression that we sell only high price clothing, for our line of popular priced suits cannot be surpassed value for the prices asked; and then you'll find a greater variety and newer goods than at any other store. At \$5 to \$15

MEN'S SHOES

Come to us for your next pair of shoes, and let us sell you a FLORSHEIM or a CROSSETT. We have them in all shapes and all leathers. \$3.50 to \$6.00

MEN'S NECKWEAR

Advance Fall styles in neckwear received this week. All the new shades in wide and medium width in 4-in-hands and bows, and prices 25c to 50c



We Might Say

\$5.00

They're equal to any five dollar hat, but the price is

\$3.00

and you'll say it's the best value you ever saw.

Beaver Brand hats are not only chock-full of quality but the style is there as well. We can show you just the shape you want. You should see them even if you don't buy.



Similar shapes and colors \$1.50 to \$2.50

—Caps for Men and Boys—the new styles. 25c to 50c

SMITH & AMBERC

Kentucky Farms Yield Big Returns.

Never before in the history of Western Kentucky were the citizens generally, and the farmers especially enjoying such universal prosperity as is prevailing now.

Not only have the farmers been receiving good prices for their produce, but seasons have been unusually favorable, with the result that the crops have, with very few exceptions, yielded exceptionally well. This has been the case for the past two or three years, and where formerly a farmer was in straitened circumstances he is now in comparative affluence. In fact, so well fixed is he financially that he is in position to lend money, and the continued high prices are due in a great measure to their position of independence when selling their products. When approached now and asked his price, the farmer names it and if the would-be purchaser accepts well and good; but if he is disposed to haggle over it the farmer walks away and leaves, whereas in past years he would have asked: "What will you give?"

Prices at present on farm products are ranging about as follows: Corn \$3 per barrel; clover hay \$16 per ton; timothy hay, \$17 per ton; oats, 50 cents per bushel; wheat, 68 cents per bushel; eggs, 15 cents per dozen; spring chickens, 25 to 30 cents; hens, 7 cents per pound; tobacco, \$4.50 to \$14 per hundred. The wheat market opened at 80 cents, but has since declined to 68 cents, this being the only item which shows a falling off in price. Even with this, however, the majority of the farmers are on the right side, for by far the larger part of them sold at the highest price.

The prosperity thus enjoyed by the farmers is being reflected in every line of business. Merchants report the best business in their history, and there have been none of the old-time "dull seasons."

Crops this year promise to even exceed the past fruitful years, and all indications point to a continuance of the good times.

Notice to Hickman Local Union A. S. of E.,

The members of Hickman Local Union 487, A. S. of E., are asked to attend a meeting of the union Tuesday evening, Oct. 9, at 7:30 p. m. Important business will be transacted and measures of importance, looking to the advancement of the organization in Fulton county, considered. Don't fail to attend this meeting; it is to your interest.

Meeting will be held in the office of Judge H. F. Remley.

By order,

GEO. N. HELM, Pres.

JNO. A. MCCLURE, Secy.

"I never took a newspaper that didn't pay me more than I paid for it," says the noted Bill Arp. "One time an old friend of mine, down South, started a newspaper and sent me a copy, and I subscribed for it to encourage him, and after a while he published an order to sell a lot at public auction. So I inquired about the lot and told a friend to run it up to \$50. He bid off the lot at \$38 and sold it in less than a month for \$100, so I made \$62 clear by taking the paper. My father told me that when he was a young man he saw a notice in a paper that a school teacher was wanted away off in a distant country, and he went and got the position, and a little girl was sent to him, and after a while she grew up sweet and beautiful and he married her. Now if he had not taken that paper, what do you suppose would have become of me? I would have been some other fellow, or maybe wouldn't have been at all."

For Ice and Coal Telephone No. 48. Hickman Ice & Coal Co.